

CLASS OF 1914 GILA ACADEMY

Held Its Commencement Exercises at Thatcher, May 6th and 7th

A VERY TALENTED CLASS

The Commercial Class Graduates with High Honors this Year

The closing week of the Academy was a lively one. Wednesday evening the graduating class gave a class program, and they certainly proved themselves to be a very talented class. The decorations made by the class were elaborate and beautiful.

The house was well filled and the program carried out was as follows: Class Song—Class of 1914. Invocation—Wilford Hamblin. Piano Duet—Laura Anderson and Geneva Mattice. President's Address—Spencer Kimball. Vocal Solo—Urilda Moody. Class History—Glenna Moody. Clarinet and Trombone Duet—Leslie Clawson and Jesse Udall. Essay, "Value of Commercial Education"—Lizzie Bryce. History of Commercial Class—Ray Killian. Prognostication—Janie Blair. Orchestral Selection—Class of 1914. Class Grumblers—Ralph Bilby. Class Will—Ella Tyler. Male Quartette—Boys of the 1914 class. Benediction—Alma Tate.

Thursday evening the graduation exercises took place, and the attendance was larger than that of the previous night. The decorations were new and elaborate, consisting of pennants, flags, banners and a profusion of flowers.

When all was in readiness, the graduating class marched in, led by four little girls who acted as color bearers. The twenty-eight graduates, beautifully dressed were an attractive sight. The following program was carried out:

Chorus—"God Is Our Refuge and Strength"—The Choir. Invocation—Joseph H. Lines. Baritone Solo—Spencer Kimball. Valedictory—Lela Lee. Violin Solo—Lawrence Holliday. Presentation of Diplomas—A. C. Peterson and President Kimball. Address to Graduates—Judge A. G. McAllister.

Chorus, "The Heavens Resound"—Choir. Benediction—C. M. Layton. Friday forenoon the students had a matinee dance in the hall and another dance in the evening, which proved to be the nicest one of the season.

Saturday the Alumni Association gave their annual social in the hall to initiate the new class. A reorganization took place. Lillian Wixom was chosen president, with Laura Anderson as vice president, and Benj. Blake as secretary.

After the graduation exercises Thursday evening, the graduates gave Miss Mansfield a surprise social.

Noted Surgeon Gets \$10,000

CHADRON, NEB., May 11.—Dr. W. J. Galbraith, of Los Angeles, came all the way from that city to perform an operation on a little girl here in Chadron, and when the work was completed, he was handed a check for \$10,000 for his services. Dr. Galbraith formerly lived in Omaha. One of his firm friends was C. F. Coffey, of Chadron, one of the wealthiest men of the State. When Mr. Coffey's daughter was taken sick and an operation was found necessary the father telegraphed for Galbraith.

The Los Angeles surgeon made the trip here, especially to perform the operation, and the \$10,000 check was handed him without his being asked the size of his bill.—Los Angeles Examiner.

Whooping Cough

"About a year ago my three boys had whooping cough and I found Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the only one that would relieve their coughing and whooping spells. I continued this treatment and was surprised to find that it cured the disease in a very short time, writes Mrs. Archie Dalrymple, Crooksville, Ohio. For sale by Safford Drug Co. adv-11-5t

"MOTHERS' DAY"

Is Now a National Holiday by Resolution of Congress

The mothers have come into their own. They have their day, now officially given to them by congressional resolution and presidential proclamation. But "Mothers' Day" did not wait upon congress and the president, says the Arizona Republican. It had already come and come to stay. It had already been celebrated as an annual event, by boys and girls and by men and women, grown gray, whose mothers have long dwelt in heaven.

But, even before that, the mothers had not been without honor. Long before such a public and concerted expression of our obligations as was given to mothers yesterday in the churches and other organizations, men and women of all ages and all countries had acknowledged their overwhelming debts to their mothers for having set the feet of their children in right paths. There had been deep sweet guardianship and government of mothers.

Mothers' Day will bear this fruit: It will teach to the young what many who are not now young have learned later in life, the value of a mother at a time when a proper appraisal of her value will be more beneficial.

The influence of the mother will be made more commanding when men and women testify regarding her worth. Many a boy and girl with a correct appreciation of a mother's love and wisdom will be held back from slipping. Mothers' Day is one of the many signs that the world is growing better.

An appropriate feature of every celebration of Mothers' Day, would be the reading of Cowper's "On Receipt of My Mother's Picture," and especially these lines from that beautiful tribute to the memory of a sainted mother:

The record fair
That memory keeps of all thy kindness
Still outlives many a storm that has
effaced
A thousand other themes less deeply
traced.
Thy nightly visits to my chamber, made
That thou mightest know me safe and
warmly laid.
All this, and more enduring still than
all,
Thy constant flow of love that knew no
fall,
Nor roughened by those cataracts and
breaks,
That humor interposed, too often makes;
All this, still legible on memory's page,
And still to be so to my latest age,
Adds joy to duty, makes me glad to pay
Such honors to thee as these numbers
may;
Perhaps a frail memorial, but sincere;
Not scored in heaven, though little
noticed here.

Matthews Out for Supervisor

George A. Matthews announces himself a candidate for the nomination of county Supervisor of the democratic ticket at the primary election to be held September 8th.

Mr. Matthews has resided at Pima for thirty-two years, and is one of the old war horses of democracy in this county. He is a farmer and one of the largest ranch owners in the county. To Mr. Matthews is due much credit for the completion of the Nevada Extension canal, he having started the work on this canal three years ago. By his untiring energy he has done more than anyone else to make this canal a success.

Mr. Matthews friends are unanimous in their opinion that he will make good as a county supervisor, having all the qualifications necessary to make a success of that office.

Ladies' Hats, Corsets and Underwear, at H. W. BROWN'S Safford.

W. C. T. U. Holds First Meeting

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union held its first meeting at the M. E. Church last Wednesday. A large number of members were present from Safford and Layton, also a number of visitors. There are now forty-eight members.

Mrs. George H. Crosby, Jr., of Layton, was appointed first vice president; Mrs. John West, of Layton, was appointed superintendent of literature; Mrs. Hattie Copland, of Layton, was appointed superintendent of Red Letter Day.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 20th, at the M. E. Church.

EXTRA!

"All the stores of this town have been closed. The merchants have been forced out of business by the mail-order houses of the cities.

"It is expected the government will discontinue the post office within a few weeks.

"All of the store buildings of the community are for sale at almost any price that may be offered.

"The town will be entirely off the map in a few months."

An announcement of this kind is what the people of this town may expect if they do not stop sending their money to the mail-order houses of the cities.

It is the business of the town that makes the town possible, and if the business is to be sent to the cities it will not take long to take the town off the map entirely.

Why not keep the dollars at home?

Musical Organizations are Busy

Eden and Graham choirs have given their spring concerts.

Central choir will hold its annual ball Friday night, May 15th.

Pima choir recently organized male and female quartette clubs within the choir.

Pima band is holding very successful rehearsals and handling music of grades 3 and 3a.

Central band, of fifteen members, was re-organized last Wednesday night.

A concert of sacred, sentimental and comic music was given at Hubbard last Thursday night.

Fairview Choir will give its spring concert May 22d.

Layton Choir has received an invoice of a large shipment of most beautiful music.

Thatcher band boys are making good use of their new books. Twenty members were present when roll was called this week.

Bryce ward choir will renew their diligence by commencing regular practices again next week.

Dan Cupid recently caused a suspension of regular work of this kind, but now that he has had his innings and honeymoons are over for a short time, work will be commenced in earnest at once.

Dancing Teacher Arrives in Town

Miss Lillian Lee, of Globe, arrived here Monday morning, coming from Globe by auto, driven by I. G. Martin.

Miss Lee is one of the best fancy dancing teachers in the west, and if you wish to enjoy life and walk gracefully, now is your time to learn while Miss Lee is here.

Miss Lee is stopping at the Hotel Olive.

For a Torpid Liver

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets off and on for the past six years whenever my liver shows signs of being in a disordered condition. They have always acted quickly and given me the desired relief," writes Mrs. F. H. Trubus, Springfield, N. Y. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

Cash For Poultry

Will pay cash for all your poultry at any time. If you have hogs or beavers for sale see me. I am in a position to buy them.

H. C. WHITE, Safford. Phone 463 50-tf

For Sale or Trade

Four milk cows, seven or eight good, young work or saddle horses. Call or address ARNOLD, Broshear's Ranch, Artesia, Arizona. adv-13-2t

For Sale

Good family horse and surrey for sale for \$125.00. Communicate with box 37, Solomonville. adv-11-1t

Slabs, all lengths, at the Flume Camp. adv-13-2t

Dizziness, vertigo (blind staggers), sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. Herbine is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by Safford Drug Co., Thatcher Pharmacy, Solomonville Drug Co. adv-11-5t

The best line of Refrigerators in the valley at the SOLOMON COMMERCIAL CO., Safford. adv-11-1t

THE WOMAN'S CLUB

Will Hold Next Meeting at the Home of Mrs. W. R. Chambers, May 27th

The Woman's Club held its regular business meeting at the school house Friday, May 8th, at 3:30 p. m. Members responded to roll call with some clippings pertaining to Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. W. E. McWhirt read an interesting paper on the "Advantages to be Gained by Federation."

The standing and special committee gave their reports of work done since the previous business meeting.

The program committee will, in the near future, have the year book ready for distribution.

After the report of the fly committee was discussed the club decided to give prizes for flies brought in by the children. Each child bringing one quart of flies to any member of the fly committee, will receive a check, which is good for 10 cents at any confectionery store for ice cream or candy, or for one ticket at the moving picture shows.

The next meeting of the club will be Wednesday, May 27th, at 3:00 p. m., when Mesdames Chambers, Weber, Faulkner and Elsworth will entertain the club at the home of Mrs. Chambers.

Senator Pace Is Grandpa for Two

Senator Pace has the happy smile and glad hand for everybody these days. There's a reason. No. The Senator is not looking for political honors. He has new honors thrust upon him that are far more happier, for our genial Senator has become the grandpa of two bouncing baby boys, and here's the story:

On May 11th, the stork presented his son, Willard, and wife, with a beautiful boy. Willard, in his happiness, wired the news to his brother, Carl, who is a successful osteopathic physician at Phoenix. When Carl received the telegram, he had just been informed by the doctor that he was the father of a fine baby boy. So Carl wired Willard congratulations and informed him he had nothing on him, as he had just been presented with a boy, born two hours after the arrival in Thatcher of Willard's boy.

By this you will see the reason why Senator Pace is happy. A grandpa for two in two hours is going some, and THE GUARDIAN congratulates Grandpa Pace.

Logging Teams Wanted

By Mt. Graham Lumber Co. Inquire at Flume Camp. Phone 64. adv-13-1t

Just received, a shipment of kitchen cabinets, library tables and rockers. GILA VALLEY FURNITURE AND HARDWARE STORE. adv-12-2t

The Famous Bay State Refrigerators at the SOLOMON COMMERCIAL CO., Safford. adv-11-1t

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick?

A cross, peevish, listless child, with coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats sometimes very little, then again ravenously; stomach sour; breath fetid; pains in stomach, with diarrhea; grinds teeth while asleep, and starts up with terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—something that expels worms, and almost every child has them. Kickapoo Worm Killer is needed. Get a box today. Start at once. You won't have to coax, as Kickapoo Worm Killer is a candy confection. Expels the worms, the cause of your child's trouble. 25c. at your druggist's. adv-11-5t

New Canal Will Water 2,800 Acres

The two siphons over the prongs of the Matthews Wash, on the Smithville Extension Canal, were completed this week. This makes the new canal open down to the red knolls, so that the canal now covers about 2,800 acres of the land that it was destined to cover. The company is now waiting for the rainy season to come on so that they can obtain water sufficient to wet their new ditch up and have it in running order for fall crops. The new siphons are beauties. They are 54 inches in diameter and made of standard gauge American ingot iron, with both ends set in cement abutments well set back in the banks, where they will not be disturbed by floods. The movement of settlers on the tract of territory right between the Matthews Wash and Ft. Thomas is marked. Some thirty families have moved in there during the past year and there is room for at least one hundred more to make homes there.

The Nevada Extension Canal is proving a complete success and in the first crops under it are heavy and compare favorably with the crops that are being raised under the old canal.

The Mormon settlers are now petitioning to have a new ecclesiastical ward organized under the name of the Shiloh Ward, and there is also talk of a selection for a town site, so that Graham County will soon have another town placed on its map.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER

Mrs. J. L. Freeman entertained a dinner party at her home on Sunday. The guests of honor were: Mrs. Jesse Foster, Miss Myers and Miss Giesman. The other guests were: Mrs. H. J. Dowdle, Mrs. Fred Dowdle, Mrs. Frank Dowdle, Mrs. M. S. Freeman, Miss Anna Wilson and Mrs. Van Ness.

Sick Headache

Mrs. A. L. Luckie, East Rochester, N. Y., was a victim of sick headache and dizziness, caused by a badly weakened and debilitated condition of her stomach, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She says, "I found them pleasant to take, also mild and effective. In a few weeks' time I was restored to my former good health." For sale by Safford Drug Co. adv-11-5t

Mit Sims to Visit Old Home

Mr. and Mrs. Mit Sims left yesterday morning for a visit to Mr. Sims' old home in Rockford, Alabama, and will also visit relatives in Texas before returning home. They expect to be away for about six weeks on the trip.

Mr. Sims has not visited his old home since 1897, more than seventeen years, and will enjoy a visit now to his brothers and sisters and friends who still reside at Rockford.

160 acres, two miles northeast of San Jose, for horse stock only; \$1.50 to \$3.00 per month; plenty of shade and water and feed. adv-7-1t H. C. USSHER.

Coughed for Three Years

"I am a lover of your goodness to humanity and science. Your medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery, cured my cough of three years standing," says Jennie Flemming, of New Dover, Ohio. Have you an annoying cough? Is it stubborn and won't yield to treatment? Get a 50 cent bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today. What it did for Jennie Flemming it will do for you, no matter how stubborn or chronic a cough may be. It stops a cough and stops throat and lung trouble. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00 at your druggist's. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Pimples. adv-11-5t

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than Ballard's Snow Liniment. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Safford Drug Co., Thatcher Pharmacy, Solomonville Drug Co. adv-11-5t

If you want the best Refrigerator, the Famous Bay State, all sizes, at the SOLOMON COMMERCIAL CO., Safford. adv-11-1t

C. S. Kelsey came up from Geronimo Monday on a business visit to town and to see the valley. Mr. Kelsey came out here in January from Lincoln, Neb., where he has lived for many years, and took up a homestead at Escala, near Bowie, where he will build a home. Coming to Arizona in bad health, the climate has completely restored his health and Mr. Kelsey has decided to stay in Arizona.

GIANT MOTORCYCLE

First Two-Wheel Gyroscope Motor Truck Appears in London

The first two-wheel gyroscope motor truck has appeared on the streets of London. It caused great excitement. Crowds of amazed spectators gathered around it.

Those who knew nothing of the marvelous powers of the gyroscope could hardly believe their own eyes. Here was a heavy truck, loaded with three tons of freight, balancing itself perfectly. Yet it had only two wheels; one ahead of the other, like a bicycle.

The car stopped, started, backed, turned sharp corners, stood still, delivered a part of its load and took on more, all without disturbing its balance. No care was taken to distribute load evenly. If extra heavy weight were placed on one side the car just leaned a little the other way like a man who, carrying a heavy weight in one hand, throws the weight of his body on the other side to balance the load.

Those who had seen a gyroscope work were not surprised when the truck seemed to show almost human intelligence.

The cost of this car was about \$12,000, because patterns and castings had to be made especially for it; but with a large demand the cost could be greatly reduced.

The principle of the gyroscope is very complex and difficult to explain in a few words. It is related to the turning of the earth on its axis. Something like it is suggested by the experience which almost every boy has had with tops; in fact, the gyroscope may be described as a gigantic power top, with an axis free to turn in any direction. When a spinning top is made to lean, so that its axis is not vertical, it will, if spinning very fast, gradually right itself and come back to a perpendicular position. In a manner somewhat resembling this, the gyroscope on the bicycle motor truck keeps the truck standing upright, although the center of gravity may not be above the base of support.

To one who sees this for the first time it seems like a miracle. By all ordinary rules of physics the truck should fall, just as a bicycle will fall when it comes to rest and is supported by its two wheels only. But instead of falling the gyroscope truck stands upright, and instantly adjusts itself to any shifting of the load.—Current Events.

Drs. McWhirt and Martin

Office: First floor concrete building, back of Jones Hotel. Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m.; 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. adv-7-13t

Trial Jurors Superior Court

The list of trial jurors drawn Tuesday, May 12th, in open Court, at the Court House, in Solomonville, to serve during the present term, beginning Monday, May 18th, is as follows:

John Nulton,	S. B. Nickell,
Benj. F. Cluff,	E. P. Bryce,
Leslie W. Layton,	J. D. Skaggs,
Thomas East,	Elmer Weiker,
Ben Platt,	A. J. Shifflett,
H. J. Dowdle,	Thomas J. Batty,
T. E. Rose,	Edward Black,
Jacob Weathersby,	Sheriff Marshall,
L. A. Adams,	L. W. Woolsey,
E. Palmer,	James T. Quinn,
Richard Layton,	Jr. J. M. Allred,
O. F. Foote,	E. D. Hancock,
Orvin E. Allred,	J. A. Hancock,
J. S. Tanner,	Abe Bowman,
Richard F. Beals,	C. R. Jennings,
B. H. Cluff,	Thomas Blaine,
S. H. Britton,	Mit Sims,
P. H. Teeple,	R. S. Tallafarro,
Paul Brown,	Eli Claydon,

Citizens Bank's Branch at Pima

Lines Brothers are erecting a fine new store building in Pima, to replace the one burned down several weeks ago.

The Citizens Bank, which had established a branch in the Lines' building previous to the fire, will have its branch bank in the new building, and it will be equipped with beautiful new fixtures and furniture.

The Citizens Bank has become one of our solid financial institutions and is meeting with great success.

D. V. Farnsworth arrived here Wednesday evening from El Paso, Texas. Mr. Farnsworth is a member of the firm of Farnsworth & Romney, that recently purchased the J. T. Owens' Big Store.

Advertise in THE GUARDIAN.

LAYTON WILL HAVE ELECTRIC LIGHTS

The Company is Extending Its Electric Line thru that Suburb

LAYING NEW WATER MAINS

About 3 1-2 Miles of Main will be Laid in Town and Layton

The Gila Valley Electric, Gas and Water Company is making good headway laying the water main through Layton from the church, east to the Solomonville road and thence along this road to William Morris' ranch, a distance of 6,000 feet. This main will furnish water to about twenty-two families.

When this main is completed, the company will begin laying the main down K street to Sixth street, and along Sixth street west to I street. From this point the main will be laid south to Campbell's corner and also will be extended down the Thatcher road. In all about 3 1/2 mile of main will be laid.

The company is also busy extending its electric line south of the railroad to Layton, where it will take in every street and supply that suburb with electric lights.

In order to insure an abundant water supply, the company is laying a six-inch supply pipe from the water supply in the Graham mountains to its distributing reservoir.

The company reports that it is meeting with great success in the disposal of electric cooking utensils, such as stoves, percolators, toasters and irons. These electrical goods are becoming very popular with the people.

The company is now giving an eighteen-hour service, and will give a twenty-four hour service just as soon as new business will justify running the plant full time.

The business men of the town can help materially in the securing of a twenty-four hours' service if they would help themselves by keeping their windows lighted at night.

A FINE IMPROVEMENT

The new plate glass front on the Paul Brown building is about completed and is a fine improvement to the business section. The carpenter work was done by W. C. Davis and the painting by W. E. Stephens. The Royal Confectionery, Albert Ringer, proprietor, will occupy the new building on or about May 20th.

Keep Bowel Movement Regular

Dr. King's New Life Pills keep stomach, liver and kidneys in healthy condition. Rid the body of poisons and waste. Improve your complexion by flushing the liver and kidneys. "I got more relief from one box of Dr. King's New Life Pills than any medicine I ever tried," says C. E. Hatfield, of Chicago, Ill. 25c. at your druggist's. adv-11-5t

Blue Flame Oil Stoves and White Mountain Triple Motion Ice Cream Freezers at GILA VALLEY FURNITURE AND HARDWARE STORE. adv-12-2t

Coming Events at Fair Grounds

Our local sportsmen are getting ready for several important events to take place this month and one early in June.

On May 27th, at the Fair Grounds, a match race for a purse of \$200.00 will be run between Brig Stewart's mare and Hobart's bay horse. The distance will be three-eighths mile.

On May 28th, Ray Hunt and Jess Pierce, of Taylor, Navajo county, will try conclusions against each other at the Fair Grounds in a foot race; distance, 75 yards; purse, \$200.

On June 6th, Brig Stewart's bay horse will be matched against Hobart's bay horse for a distance of one mile. Purse, \$200.00.

Don't forget the date, May 20th, 2:30 p. m., some lady is going to be given a \$75.00 sewing machine and you may be the lucky one. If you have not already received a ticket call at our store and get one, you do not have to buy anything to get a chance at this machine, merely call and get coupon, fill out and deposit and be present at demonstration to be given at time mentioned above. GILA VALLEY FURNITURE AND HARDWARE STORE, Safford, Ariz. adv-12-2t

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